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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EAID, EFIN, BEXP

SUBJ: U.S. PROCUREMENT FROM ADB-FINANCED PROJECTS

1. CUMULATIVE U.S. PROCUREMENT FROM ADB-FINANCED PROJECT CURRENTLY 11.3 PERCENT AS OF END-SEPT 1974 AFTER REACHING HIGH OF 12.4 PERCENT IN MID-1974. AFTER REACHING HIGH OF 12.4 PERCENT IN MID-1974. PROCUREMENT ONE OF MOST SENSITIVE MATTERS TO U.S. IN ALL DIMENSIONS OF BANK ACTIVITY AND CERTAINLY CRUCIAL INGREDIENT IN CONGRESSIONAL ATTITUDES AND SUPPORT RE FUNDING REQUESTS FOR U.S. SUPPORT OF ADB.

2. IN VIEW OF IMPORTANCE OF PROCUREMENT ISSUE, USADB WOULD LIKE TO REQUEST ALL ADDRESSEES TO PROVIDE POST COMMENTS REGARDING (A) CURRENT STATE OF KNOWLEDGE OF ADB PROJECTS AND ADEQUACY OF INFORMATION FLOW RELATIVE TO THOSE PROJECTS AND (B) SUGGESTIONS REGARDING MEANS BY WHICH BANK AND USADB COULD IMPROVE KNOWLEDGE ON PART OF U.S. BUSINESS COMMUNITY AS WELL AS INTEREST IN ADB-FINANCED PROJECTS.

3. BANK CURRENTLY IN PROCESS OF REORGANIZING LOAN ADMINISTRATION DIVISION AND IS THEREFORE CONDUCTING EXTENSIVE REVIEW OF CONSULTANCY SELECTION AND CONTRACT AWARD PROCEDURES AS WELL AS BANK'S MEANS OF TRACKING ALL ASPECTS OF PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION. HENCE PROPITIOUS THIS POINT TO RAISE WITH BANK MANAGEMENT ANY PROCEDURAL, ADMINISTRATIVE OR INFORMATION ISSUES OF RELEVANCE TO PARTICULAR U.S. DIFFICULTIES WITHIN GENERAL PROCUREMENT AREA.  
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